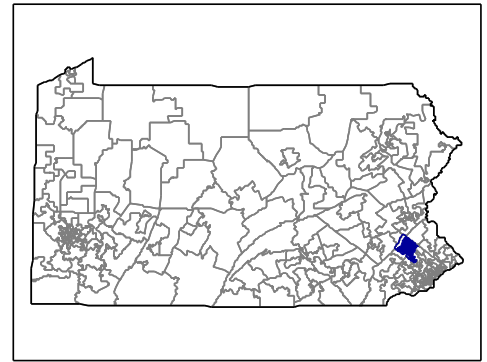


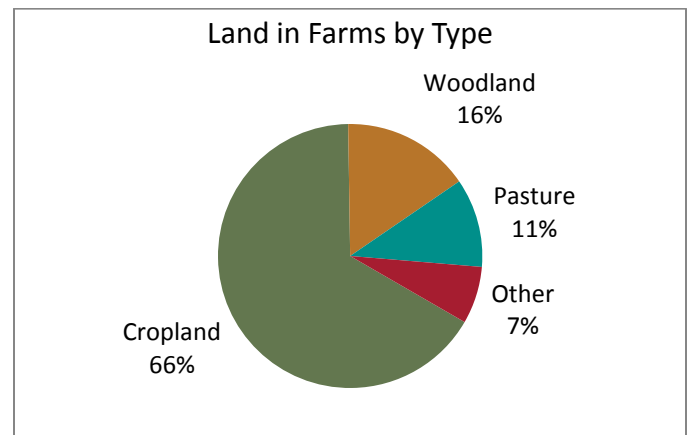
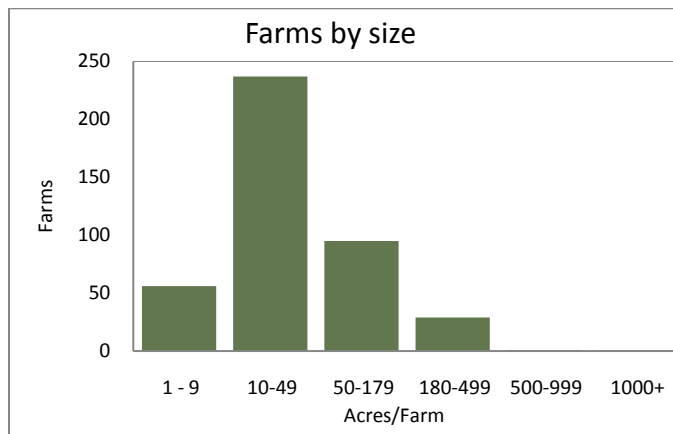
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	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	654	483	+ 35
<b>Number of Farms</b>	419	333	+ 26
<b>Land in Farms</b>	24,456 acres	19,842 acres	+ 23
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	58 acres	60 acres	- 3
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	177 acres	217 acres	- 18
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$12,176,000	\$9,413,000	+ 29
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$29,059	\$28,266	+ 3
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$1,305,000	\$460,000	+ 184
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$126,000	\$198,000	- 36
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,474	\$4,395	- 44



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#### Ranked items among the 203 house districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	12,176	76	176
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,324	71	171
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	5,852	78	165
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,250	85	143
Tobacco	-	-	30
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	518	69	148
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	623	38	140
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,817	38	152
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	8	125
Other crops and hay	(D)	78	152
Poultry and eggs	306	60	147
Cattle and calves	387	93	149
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1,463	92	128
Hogs and pigs	455	49	128
Sheep, goats, and their products	21	84	134
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	201	45	135
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	83
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	2	130
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	5,456	79	157
Corn for grain	2,635	81	142
Soybeans for beans	1,958	65	121
Wheat for grain, all	413	70	126
Corn for silage or greenchop	293	97	128
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Pheasants	(D)	6	93
Hogs and pigs	4,617	38	127
Layers	1,846	62	141
Mink and their pelts	(D)	6	8
Cattle and calves	1,551	93	151

#### Other House District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	188	Farming	174
\$1,000 to \$2,499	45	Other	245
\$2,500 to \$4,999	39		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	45	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	33	Male	332
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Female	87
\$25,000 to \$39,999	18		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	59
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	8	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$500,000 or more	5	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	14,739	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	35,177	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,133	White	625
Average per farm (\$)	-2,703	More than one race	4
		All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	4

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.